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"It's worth trying, Watson," said Holmes. "Of course with a warrant we could demand to see the counterfoils, but we have not reached that stage yet. I don't suppose they remember faces in so busy a place. Let us venture it."

"I am sorry to trouble you," said he in his blindest manner to the young woman behind the grating; "there is

but a good deal of outside betting goes on among the public, and it is possible that it might be worth some one's while to get at a player as the ruffians of the turf get at a race horse. There is one explanation: A second very obvious one is that this young man really is the heir of a great property, however modest his means may at present be, and it is not impossible that a plot to hold him for ransom might be concocted."

"These theories take no account of the telegram."

"Quite true, Watson. The telegram still remains the only solid thing with which we have to deal, and we must not permit our attention to wander away from it. It is to gain light upon the purpose of this telegram that we are now upon our way to Cambridge. The path of our investigation is at present obscure, but I shall be very much surprised if before evening we have not cleared it up or made a considerable advance along it."

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Rate lowest on record for any company of same age.	
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Total Assets for Policy-holders security, bal.,	\$1,253,216.05
1.67 for every dollar of liability, including Reserve.	
Net Surplus on Policy-holders Account	\$184,141
Reserves for seven years on Em. tab	
Interest earned on 3 1/2 per cent.	
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Department of Public Works,
Ch'town, Nov. 15th, 1905.

Sealed Tenders will be received at this office until noon on

Monday, Dec. 11th, 1905

from any person or persons willing to contract for the repairing of Clifton Bridge, Lot 21, Queen's County, according to specification to be seen at the office of David Whitehead, Road Inspector, Clifton, and at the residence of Archibald Campbell, Clifton, and at this office.

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Tenders to be addressed to the undersigned and marked "Tenders for Clifton Bridge."

L. B. McMillan,
Sec'y Public Works.



WE LOOKED UP TO FIND A QUEER LITTLE OLD MAN IN THE DOORWAY.

some small mistake about a telegram I sent yesterday. I have had no answer, and I very much fear that I must have omitted to put my name at the end. Could you tell me if this was so?"

The young woman turned over a sheet of counterfoils.

"What o'clock was it?" she asked.

"What after 6?"

"Whom was it to?"

Holmes put his finger to his lips and glanced at me. "The last words in it were 'for God's sake,'" he whispered confidentially. "I am very anxious at getting no answer."

"The young woman separated one of the forms.

"This is it. There is no name," said she, smoothing it out upon the counter.

"Then that, of course, accounts for my getting no answer," said Holmes. "Dear me, how very stupid of me, to be sure! Good morning, miss, and many thanks for having relieved my mind." He chuckled and rubbed his hands when we found ourselves in the street once more.

"Well?" I asked.

"We progress, my dear Watson, we progress. I had seven different schemes for getting a glimpse of that telegram, but I could hardly hope to succeed the very first time."

"And what have you gained?"

"A starting point for our investigation." He hailed a cab. "King's Cross station," said he.

"We have a journey, then?"

"Yes, I think we must run down to Cambridge together. All the indications seem to me to point in that direction."

"Tell me," I asked, as we rattled up Gray's Inn road, "have you any suspicion yet as to the cause of the disappearance? I don't think that among all our cases I have known one where the motives are more obscure. Surely you don't really imagine that he may be kidnapped in order to give information against his wealthy uncle?"

"I confess, my dear Watson, that that does not appeal to me as a very probable explanation. It struck me, however, as being the one which was most likely to interest that exceedingly unpleasant old person."

"It certainly did that, but what are your alternatives?"

"I could mention several. You must admit that it is curious and suggestive that this incident should occur on the eve of this important match and should involve the only man whose presence seems essential to the success of the side. It may, of course, be a coincidence, but it is interesting. Amateur sport is free from betting,

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"Eight months ago I was taken with a severe cough which lasted three months and though I had tried all sorts of medicines they failed to do me any good. A friend advised the use of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine and I was completely cured by two bottles. I can recommend it as a splendid medicine."—Miss Ada O'Brien, Cape Cove, Gaspe Co., Que.

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On Monday, Dec. 11th 1905

AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.

His beautiful farm, consisting of 260 acres of land which will be sold in blocks or in parts to suit purchasers, having thereon a large and commodious dwelling house and out buildings, all in good repair; fitted with a windmill carrying the water into all the out buildings, and the dwelling house heated with hot air and other conveniences, as found upon an up to date farm. There is also a first class orchard of fruit trees, bearing fruit. This farm is well watered, and is near to public schools and churches, altogether making this one of the most desirable properties in this part of the country, ever offered for sale.

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Synopsis of Canadian North-West Homestead Regulations.

ANY even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the Northwest Provinces, excepting 8 and 20, may be homesteaded by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section of 160 acres, more or less.

Entry may be made personally by the land office for the district in which the land is situated, or if the homesteader desires, he may, on application to the Minister of the Interior, Ottawa, the Commissioner of Immigration, Winnipeg, or the local agent receive authority for some one to make entry for him.

The homesteader is required to perform the conditions connected therewith under one of the following plans:

- (1) At least six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year for three years.
- (2) If the father or mother, if the father is deceased of the homesteader resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.
- (3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land.

Six months' notice in writing should be given to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa of intention to apply for patent.

W. W. C. Y.

Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.
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